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INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853. HEAD OFFICE :- LONDON.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-

INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNT at the Rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Dally Balances. On Fixed Deposits for 12 months:..... per cent.

.....3 · w A. C. MARSHALL, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 17th May, 1894. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£1,800,000 SUBSCRIBED£1,195,000

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Hongkong, 18th June, 1804. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND

Manager, Hongkong.

THE STRAITS, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL£2,000,000

BANKERS: CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE:

No. 3. PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

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business transacted. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1803. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA · LIMITED.

Authorised Capital£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE :-- HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-ChowTung Shang, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen, Esq. H. Stolterfaht, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. Chief Manager,

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent. Hongkorg, 23rd October, 1893.

Insurances.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on ívaourable terms. Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal

to that paid by the local Offices. S. I. DAVID & Co., Hongkong, 5th April, 1804.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY.

(LIMITED.) CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$833,333.33. EOUAL TO

RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LEE SING, Esq. Lo YEUR Moose, Esq. P.M. precisely :-Lou Tso Shun, Esq.

MANAGER.--HO AMEL

A / ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken IVI at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & o. PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS At CURRENT RATES On GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the week payable at any of its Agencies. CHAU TSEUNG FAT.

Secretary. THEAD OFFICE, No. 4. QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Stenekove ofth May, 1894:

Intimations.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

POLL will be taken at the Office of the A Company, at NOON, on MONDAY, the atstinstant, for the purpose of determining the adoption of the REPORT and ACCOUNTS for the year ending 30th September, 1894. VOIES may be given either Personally or by

Proxy Forms can be obtained at the Company's Office, and must be sent to the SECRETARY not later than NOON on SATURDAY, the 19th instant.

By Order of the Board,

A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. Hongkong, 14th January, 1805. fo THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this COMPANY WILL be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 22nd January, 1805, at 12 o'clock (NOON), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending

31st December, 1894. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from TUTSDAY, the 15th, to TUESDAY, the 22nd January, 1895, (both days inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be REGISTERED.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, oth January, 1804. THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 22nd January. 1895, at 12.30 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors. together with the Statement of Accounts for the

year ending 31st December, 1894. The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 17th, to TUES-DAY, the 22nd January, 1895, (both days inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be REGISTERED.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A SHELTON HOOPER.

Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited. General Agents for the West Point Building

Company, Limited. Hongkong, oth January, 1805. THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDWRS will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 4th February, 1895, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the Twelve Months ending 31st December, 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 26th

Jenuary, to MONDAY, the 4th February, 1895, (both deys inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be REGIS-TERED. By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency

Company, Limited. Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Company, I imited. Hongkong, 15th January, 1895.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE FIFTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the COMPANY will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 4th February next, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Director and

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company" will be CLOSED from the 21st instant, to 4th February, inclusive

By Order of the Board of Directors, C. TOMLIN. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 16th January, 1805.

HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB. DERFORMANCES of "ROBINSON

CRUSOE " will be given on the following Dates at the THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL, at 9 WEDNESDAY, 30TH JANUARY.

SATURDAY, and FEBRUARY. WEDNESDAY, 6TH SATURDAY, TUESDAY, 12TH SATURDAY, 16TH MONDAY, SATURDAY, 23RD

SEATS can be BOOKED at Messrs. LANK. CRAWFORD & Co.'s on and after THURSDAY. the 24th January, at TO A.M. Hongkong, 12th January, 1805.

NOTICE. THE COMMITTEE of the BRITISH

MERCANTILE MARINE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION with to notify MEMBERS. and the Sectaring Community in general, that the above named Association has NO CON-NECTION whatever with a concern ADVER-TISED as the Manine Club, at No. 17, Prays.

By Order of the Committee, GEO. WILLIAMS,

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1895.

Intimations.

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Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

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KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, Hongkong, 10th January, 1805.

BREWER

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Hongkong, 9th January, 1805.

IL PAINTING BLOCKS. Corring Presses, Fine Egyption Cigarattes,
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FROM: \$5.00 PER DAY.

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Hongkong, 24th December, 1804.

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Intimations.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 62. THE STATIONS of the ROWLOON CUSTOMS will be CLOSED in observance of the CHINESE NEW YEAR FESTIVAL, from FRIDAY the 25th current to TUESDAY the 20th, both days inclusive.

H. ELGAR HOBSON, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.

Custom House. Kowloon, 16th January, 1895.

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the HOLDERS of the SHARES in the

above Company Numbered as follows :-

25 Shares Numbered 2,100- 2,124 9 090- 9,139 10,204-10,320 10,130 --- 10,810 10 830-11,320 200 12,510—12 700 600 12,735-11,334 300 14.178-14.377 100 14.378-14.477 100 14 478-14 577 200 14.478-14.777 **'50** 18,318—18,367 1,750 19,155-20 904 - **5**0 21,105-21,154 250 21,180-21,620 300 21,830-22,020 3',122-24.126 24,127-24,526 Too 25,067-25,166 25.742-25.841 200 26,857-27,056 27,387-27.416 27,921-28,020 20,211-20,267 29.852-29.026

20,027-30,001 39,143--39,191 are hereby required on or before the 23rd day of January, 1805, to PAY to ME at my Office No. 9. Prava Central, Victoria, Hongkong, the CALLS DUE thereon, together with Interest on such Calls at the rate of Ten Per Cent. from the several days appointed for Payment thereof and together with all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such Non-payment. And that in the event of Nonpayment of the said Calls and Interest and expenses on or before the said 23rd day of January, 1895, at the place aforesaid the said Shares will be LIABLE to be FORFEITED.

By Order of the Board. W. HUTTON POTTS.

Secretary. Hongkong, 7th January, 1805.

STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

A TR WEETING W GRANEHOUDERS IS the STRAITS INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED, held at SHANGHAI on the 8th instant, the following Resolution was unanimously agreed to :-

"That we communicate with our friends in Hongkone, Japan, and the Ports, expressing our willingness to Co-operate with any THE 100 A. I. British Ship bodies of Shareholders in the STRAITS MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY who are desirous of the LIQUIDATION of the COMPANY, and that Shareholders resident at any Ports where separate action is not taken be invited to join with us in this

movement." SHAREHOLDERS who are willing to Cooperate with the Shanghai Committee are invited to communicate with the Undersigned:

E. JENNER HOGG, Chairman of the Shanghai Committee. Shaughai, 17th January, 1895.

LOST. N New Year's Day, (probably at D'Arc's Marionette Entertainment) a WATCH

CHAIN PENDANT, with INDIAN GOLD MOHUR The Finder will be suitably rewarded, if necessary, by returning it to "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

OFFICE. Pedder's Hill. Hongbong, 3rd January, 1805.

THE PHARMACY. " MARNAT

"TANSAN" THE NEW JAPANESE TABLE WATER. Recommended by leading Medical Men Hongkong and China, Analytical report by ARTHUR HILL HASSALL M.D., and EDWIG GODWIN CLAYTON, F.I.C.,

F.C.S., London, shows that it contains 8 per cent, more Iron Carbonate than any water from similar Spac. "TANSAN" "TANSAN" "TANSAN" Sole Agents for Hongkong and South China

FLETCHER & Co., The Pharmacy. 21, Queen's Read Central. Hongkong, 10th November, 1804.

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DR. KNORR'S LION BRAND ANTIPYRINE (Dose you Adults is to 35 grains troy.)

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL THE Company's Steamship

"FOKIEN." Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 18th instant, at Day-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 17th January, 1805. THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP

"ZAFIRO." Captain Gerard, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 18th instant, at 5 P.M. This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 16th January, 1895.

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

"BENLEDI," Captain Farquhar, will be despatched as above

Hongkong, 15th January, 1805.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK; VIA SUEZ CANAL, THE Steamship

Captain Wright, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 17th January, 1895. FOR HAVRE, HAMBURG AND

"MASCOTTE,"

ANTWERP.

Ports on or about the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

"SIERRA MIRANDA." McMaster, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 4th December, 1804.

"TILLIE E. STARBUCK." [102 | Curtis, Master, will load here for the above Port,

and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Pongkong, 16th January, 1895.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA,"

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersigns. ture, and to take immediate delivery of their

will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and CEDCAPO. DODWELL CARLILL & Co.

To be Let.

ODOWNS in WANCHAI at the back of

Hongkong, 10th December, 1804. TO LET.

WELLING HOUSES :-"BANGOUR," MOUNT KELLET-(FURNISHED). "HIGHCLERE," at MAGAZINE GAD.

No. s. CASTLE TERRACE. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. FLOORS in ELGIN STREET, PREL STREET and STAUNTON STREET. FLOORS in No. 5, SHELLEY STREET,

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THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT A AGENCY Co. LAL Jughang, Jib Jazuasy, 1896

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT). THE Company's Steamship

THE Steamship

on or about the 22nd instant, For Freight, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

"PATHAN,"

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

THE Steamship Captain Ross, will be despatched for the above

Agents. Hongkong, oth January, 1805.

For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3/3 L.I.J. American Ship

Consignees.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel

Hongkong, 14th January, 1805.

TO LET.

MCGREGOR'S BARRACKS OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR, adjoining the Understand Offices in Ice House Street suitable for BROKERS and MERCHANTS. DAVID SASSOON, SONE & Co.

> No. 7A, PRAYA CENTRAL Apply to

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DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED. VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

> McKAY BLEND OLD SCOTS WHISKY,

A thoroughly well matured Whisky of first-class quality.

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DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., Lp., VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Honokong, oth January, 1805.

A. S. WATSON & CO.,

LIMITED. ESTAPLISHED A.D. 1841.

WINES AND SPIRITS,

these are Selected by our London House, brught direct at first hand, imported in Weed and Bottled by ourselves, thus saving all intermediate profits and enabling drowned. us to supply the hest growths at moderate prices:

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ON APPLICATION.

PORT:—After removal should be rested a month before use. When required for drirking at once it should be ordered to be decanted at the Dispensary before being sent out.

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WHISKY :-- All our Whisky is of excellent quality, and of greater age than most brands in the market. The Scotch Whisky marked "E" is universally popular and is pronounced by the best local connoisseurs to be superior to any other brand in the Hongkong Market.

We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

WATSON & CO., LD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hengkong, 9th January, 1895.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TRLEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPROTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTION MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

MARRIAGE. On the 17th January, at St. Joseph's Church Hongkorg, by the Rev. Father B. Vigano' ERNEST C. CLITHEROW, to NELLIE, daughter of the late Mons. Lambert D'Arc, of Cardiff, England.

Hongkong, Thursday, January 17, 1895.

TELEGRAMS

THE FRENCH PRESIDENT. LONDON, January 17th. The eatire French press blames M. Casimir Perier in the severest terms for resigning.

accusing him of descriton. An exultant manifesto has been issued by the Socialists which states that the base flight of the President from his post heralds the downfall why an unusually large number of foreign menai Capitalism,

A letter from M. Casimir Perier, read in the Chambers, caused great excitement and cries of ' Vive le Roi. The election to the vacant Presidentship of

Waldeck-Rousseau and M. Brisson. LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL. The condition of Lord Randolph Churchill the gravest yet noted and heart failure is feared...

the French Republic appears to lie between M

ITALY AND ABYSSINIA. The Italians surprised and defeated th Abyssinians at Coatel with heavy loss.

THE GOLD COAST. Mr. W. E. Maxwell, C.M.G., at present Colonial Secretary of the Stratte Settlements. has been appointed Governor of the Gold Coast.

> (Special to Siam Observer.) RUSSIA ADVANCES.

ST. PETERSBURG, January and. The Crar has announced his intention of ignoring all religious distinctions in future promotions in the Army and Civil Services.

TURKEY IN ARMENIA.

LONDON. January 4th. in the presence of a large concourse of the The Turkish Government has sent a note to the Governments of France, Germany, Austria, relatives and friends of the pupils of that popular and Italy asking them to use their influence with | institution. Full report in our next issue, Great Britain and Russia, to induce these Powers to moderate their demands as to the Government of Armenia, made in connection with the recen atrocities in that country.

> (From Tonkin papers.) LATEST FROM PARIS.

PARIS, January 7th. M. Ressman, Italian Ambassador, has beet M. Ernest Carnot has been elected deputy for

M. Gerault-Richard, who is in prison for a Paris. The Government objects to his liberation. PARIS, January 8th.

Monsleyr Rousseau, the new Governor-General of Cochin-Chins, will leave for the Far East on February 3rd. There has been a great fall of snow, causing numerous accidents.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON A BRAZILIAN WAR-SHIP.

There has been a sectous explosion at Rie Innelro on board the cruiser Nichteroy, caused by fire. One hundred and twenty persons were

THE BRITISH DOLLAR.

The following telegraphic despatches have been forwarded to us for publication :-SIR C. MITCHELL TO THE MARQUESS OF

December 8th, 1894. Referring to your despatch, No. 351, will dollars the banks? THE MARQUESS OF RIPON TO SIR C. MITCHELL

Sent 3.15 p.m., 8th December, 1894. Dollars will be issued on payment of one per cent, in exchange for bullion to any one,

LATE TELEGRAMS.

THE HADUR, DECEMBER 27th. Advices received here state that the supremacy of the Dutch at Lombok and the pacification of the country are now complete. The expedition. late. ary force has been disbanded with the exception

LONDON, December 28th troops to Armenia to reinforce the garrisons there. The Manager and four Directors of the Commercial Bank, Newfoundland, have been arrested. The principal charge against them is that of making a fraudulent statement of accounts. The accused have been admitted to

bail on very heavy security PARIS. December a8th. M. Racol, member of the French Supreme Colonial Council, is advocating the employment of Zebras for transport purposes in the French operations in Madagascar, quoting British experience of the value of such animals for similar work in India.

According to advices received from Batavia. preparations are being made for another campsign in the Dutch East Indies. The operations are to be directed against Karangsen, to which place Djilantik, the Ballnese Minister at Lombok. fled after the capture of the capital by the Dutch. The expedition will probably start in January.

Discussions are being held by the Ports regarding the best method of carrying out the reforms in Armenia demanded by the Powers. The Ministers are in favour of merging Erseroum, Van Billis and Mossh into a single Vilayet, the Governor of which will be nominated by the Sultan and hold office for five years. It is propozed that the first Governor of the amalgamated districts shall be a Turkish official, but afterwards Christian Governors will be appointed.

An agreement has been concluded between Great Britain and Japan, extending for six months, the period fixed upon for the conclusion of a supplementary Convention for the conversion into specific duties of the ad valoress duties established by the tariff annexed to the recent treaty concluded between Great Britain and

ST. PETERSBURG, December sath. It is stated here that the Casr and Casrina are meditating an extensive tour through the Empire next year. Eighty petitions have been received by the Russian Government for permission to establish

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

new journals in various places.

THE British cruiser Pylades, 1,200 tons, is due here on the 25th instant from the Mediterranean.

THE British gunboat Redbreast left bere on Sunday last to relieve the Rattler at Bangkok, Daily Jest and China Stale please copy !

THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ching, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu, Yokohama and Nagasaki, on the 15th inst.

THE firstllieutenant of the Undaunted, Mr. C. J Eyres, who has been invalided home, left here by the P. & O. steamer Pekin at noon to-day for London.

THE reason for Admiral Freemantie's sudden appearance at Nagasaki the other day with the Conturion and Alacrity was, we hear, attibutable in a messure to his desire to accertain of-war had assembled in Japanese waters,

Empryst of Tagan arrived at Vancouver on Tuesday last.

"COLONEL" Hicks, the energetic manager and advance agent of the popular and versatile Orioles, left by the English mail to-day for Calcutta wid Singapore.

PHILIP RIOS, a marine engineer, who was knocking about Chine-town last night with a six-shooter up his aleeve, contributed fifteen shekels of silver to the local Treasury to-day, Good old "Phit"!

administered by Mr. Hastings at the Police Court to-day to a Celestial for annexing a box of dominoes and some " oof " from a private carino n China-town yesterday THE master of the steam-launch Punctuality

Six weeks imprisonment was the dose of physic

anted-up six dollars to the distingue shroll of the Magistracy this morning as a guid bro quo for hanging about Bank Wharf yesterday with bls fast and powerful " puff-puff." THIS afternoon Mr. E. J. Ackrowd, Acting Chie Justice, distributed the prizes at Queen's College

D'ARC'S MARIONETTES attracted another fairly large audience last night. The unique performance, which was frequently interrupted with loud opplause, will be repeated at the cosy Bijor

IT is probable that H.M.S. Archer and one or two more Pritish warships now in the North will he recommissioned in Hongkong about the middle of March, provided the political horizon is a good deal clearer then than it is just now.

Theatre to-night, commencing at o o'clock.

misdemeanour, has been elected deputy for THE Stam Observer states that the German burque Kisting Neilsson, from Shanghal, and the Russian barque Veca, from Port Natal strived at Bangkok on the 7th inst., and that is is probable both these ships will load trak for the European market.

> RUMOURED, says the Bangkok Times of the 8th inst., that a case of defamation, -arising from a few "free " expressions made in a local hostelry—is shortly to be brought by a German resident against an Englishman. Both the parties are Government employes.

A FAIRLY large audience essembled at the Orloles' entertainment at the Theatre Royal last night, the great attraction being the second series of "Living Pictures." The performance will be repeated to-night, when, despite the unusually cold weather, there will doubtless be a good

A SERIOUS secident, which may yet prove fatal, occurred at the Central Police Station this morning. A painter, who was putting a much-needed coat of paint on the windows of the police barbe issued in exchange for bullion only through racks, missing his footing on a scaffolding and falling down to the basement, a distance of about 30 feet. He was promptly removed to the

> WE are authoritatively informed that, subject to audit, the Directors of the Honekong and Shanghal Bank propose to pay a dividend of that Captain Wilde would have been fully justi-Reserve Funds, to write \$100 - of Property the launch down.
> Account, and carry forward about \$130,000 to next half year. Good business this. No wonder Bank shares have been 'on the boom' of

of two regiments who will remain to garrison the | WE, of course, have not the faintest idea as to who is responsible for the "facts," but at all events the report of the quarterly golf competition The Turkish Government are despatching published in the Dally Press to-day is about the feeblest and most inaccurate screed that has seen the light of day for many a year, even in this part of the world, and, in addition to a number of egregious and palpable errors, evinces a sad lank of good taste, to say nothing of any. thing elee, on the part of the erstwhile editor of our wleasnt, semi-official contemporary, whose latest lead r, by the way, on the China-Japan war, may be accepted as a fair reflex of his intelligence and immaculate conception of Far Eastern affairs generally.

> ADIFFERENCE has arisen, says the Straits Times. between a young and enterprising legal practitioner and the first magistrate of Singapore. In this case the forensic aptitude of the lawyer, and scholars since November, 1882. In common his efforts to please his client, have led him to tread pretty closely to that line of eliquette that Interfered with by the planue, but it was not apparently regulates the relations of the beach with the bar. Anxious to get a summons to is, 12 days more than in the previous year. At the secure the attendance of a person in a suit, suggestion of our medical advisers, day scholars application was made by him to the first magistrate who, after hearing argument, the option of becoming boarders free of refused to grant the application. Thereupon, charge, or staying away altogether: quite the lawyer appeared before the second magistrate a number took the former course, and our with a similar application to that which had been | daily average never fell below 44, or half our refused by the president of the first court, usual attendance. We are thankful to say no Whether a different phase of the case was pupil here suffered from the disease, and in presented in this instance we cannot say, but autumn all returned, and our numbers were consuccess attended the lawyer, who obtained a siderably higher than in the corresponding summons. The circumstance came to the knowledge of the first magistrate; and, yesterday afternoon, in the police court, the first magistrate | in business offices, one of whom lodged in the talked to the lawyer and spoke of reporting his conduct to the Bar Committee.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to the Straits Times: -The death of the Crown Prince of Siam may cause a greater amount of trouble in that country than would be the case in a European State where the next-of-kin would step into the vacant position. A Crown Prince is a new idea in brother of the King, Hong Val. is not approved | passed; reading 97; grammar 95; dictation and to have yet acknowledged the right of succes- Euclid of physical geography 87; algebra 70; sion in the Crown Prince. It has been the study | arithmetic 65; mensuration (a new subject) 37.5. of the King for years past to establish his son There has been a falling of in arithmetic, but in the position, and this matter has always the questions were more difficult than usual, greatly influenced his policy in internal matters | The grant is 23 per cent, more than last year, and of State. Hong Noy, the next and only full in the highest the school has ever earned. This By Interest Account ...\$172,761.48 brother of the King, is at the head of the is in part due to the new code providing an known to Europeans than his elder brother, and interest both boys and masters have taken in much will depend upon his bearing in this their work and their determination to maintain matter. Prince Devawongse, the foreign the good name of the school. The boys have minister, will naturally favour the communition of been regularly drilled by an instructor from the a younger brother -- a son of the first queen, who | garrison ; during the summer they had frequent is his full sister, and he will rely on European trips by steam-launch for sea-bathing and swim-influence to support his views should it he ming. Football and cricket are played on the necessary. The Pfibes, being only a half brether | place of land assigned by the Government as a -whilst the other two, Hong Yal and Hong Noy | play-ground for the West Point schools. It is -ere full brothers of his Majesty, will not have | very small, and open to each school only one | To Balance, the stalk emount of voice in the matter as the effernoon and one evening a week. Our best two full worthers; however, he will know better thanks are sgain due to Mr. E. R. Belillos, Rev. than they how to take full advantage of European R. F. Cobbold, Mesers. E. F. Alford, D. Gillies. intervention if such should be necessary. The Ho Tung, J. D. Humphreys, T. Jackson, A. the position in Malay States of Rajah Mudah, has long been wheel out and the family scattered abroad, so that it does not concern the Issue | Cobbold) have again examined the boys of this much ; but still the old feeling in the country school in their Scripture Lessons and am satisfied connected with the lestitution has never died out, with the result. In the VII and VI Forms the and the lesting the little difficulty in which his set portions of St. Matthew's Gospel and the

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamship THE Banghok Times says that the Queen Gospel intelligently. Forms IV and III took Mother is very lil, having been seriously affected | the stories of Joshua, the Judges and Ruth, and

> in a house inL'arcar Row during the first watch " last night. Fines amounting in the aggregate good. to \$27 were imposed and paid.

THE WINGLOK STREET AFFAIR

At the Supreme Court this morning the three coolies who were acquitted at the recent sensational trial for murder in connection with the gang robbery at No. 56, Winglok Street, on the 22nd November, were placed in the dock and informed that the Crown had decided to withdraw the charge of murder preferred against them, and that they would be arraigned on an indictment for burglary on Monday, the 21st Instant, when the January Criminal Sessions

No date has yet been fixed for the "swinging" of the two men condemned to death for the murder of an Indian constable in Winglok Street two months ago.

RECKLESS NAVIGATION IN THE - BARBOUR.

A CHINESE SKIPPER "FIXED."

ing, Mr. R. M. Rumsey, "arbour Master, presiding, Chan Wing Chenng, certificate No. 510, master of the steam-launch Willing, was charged with negligence and gross incompe-

Spencer C. Wilde, master of the British steamer Fooksang, stated that at about 9 a.m. on Saturday, the 17th instant, he bad come I through Ly-ec-mun Pass and was heading in for the harbour, ahead of the Channel Rocks, when the steam-launch Willing, which had come out of Shau-ki-wan Bay and kept running alongside his steamer about 200 to 400 feet off the port side, was suddenly and recklessly navigated with a view to crossing his bows. Witness blew his whistle as a signal to the master of the Willing. but he took no notice, and it therefore became necessary to stop and go astern at full speed, and at the same time be ported. The laur ch kept on under port helm and followed him round, and just cleared his bows by about two feet. The steamer was coming in at full speed, about o or and followed the steamer round, which caused witness to alter his course about eight points. The launch was about a point on his bow when she made the attempt to cross, and if he had not stopped and gone astern he must inevitably have run the Willing down. The sunch had

about 60 passengers on hoard. The defendant had no excuse to offer for his unseamanlike conduct, and his certificate was his stead. therefore suspended, as a caution to him in the future, for one month.

So far so good, but if it had been a question ! guishing the launch, there can be little doubt | confirmation. £1. 5s. per share, place \$500,000 to the credit of fed in choosing the least of two evils, f s. run

THE DIOCESAN SCHOOL.

ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

Yesterday afternoon the Assembly Hall of that useful local institution, the Diocesan School and Orphanage, was crowded with the relatives and friends of the pupils on the occasion of the annual prize distribution. Mr. E. I. Ackroyd, Acting Chief Justice, who distributed the coveted honours, delivered on interesting, address to the assembly, which we regret having to omit owing to pressure on our space, after Mr. Geo. Piercy. Ir., the Head Master, had read the annual report

The past year has been a time of exceptional anxiety and trouble. In spring a boarder from a coast port was removed to the Government Hospital with smallpox, and despite the utmost care of Dr. I owson and the nurses, succumbed. There has been no other death amongst the with the rest of the colony our work was seriously stopped : school was taught on atl days, that from infected neighbourhoods were given months of 1803. We have, however, to sorrow for the loss of two former pupils, who were employed Institution. Eight boys entered the Oxford local examination in July, r senior and 7 juniors,; 6 of the latter passed. The seven candidates who

took the book-keeping paper, all passed to that Eighty boys were examined by the Government Inspector of Schools in December; 75 passed, or 97.5 per cent. (last year 93 per cent) writing, geography, English bistory, English com-Siam, and, up to the present date, the full position, and elementary science too per cent military department, and is a man who is better | additional VII standard, but chiefly to the old institution of Second King, which answers to | Mackie, W. Quincey, and G. Sharp, for kindly contributive the prizes. Scribiure Examination.—I (the Rev. R. F.

Majesty is apt to be placed on an eccasion like | Acts were well done, Form V, with a few exceptions, wrote their naswers to questions on the

by the untimely death of the Crown Prince of showed that an interest had been aroused, though a few papers were weak. Form II and two boys in I answered well. There is evidence of sageful AT the Magistracy to-day, before Mr. Hastings, | teaching. The great difficulties (to many beyon seven votaries of fan-fan were charged at the of a foreign language are being gradually over- Victoria Buildings on Tuesday, the 22nd instance of Acting Inspector Baker for gambling | come, but there is much yet to be done. The Repetition in the lower school was on the whole:

> PRIZE LIST. Oxford University Local Bixamilantian Juniors :- T. Benning, W. Burns, S. Eighinstone, J. Gubbins, A. J. Mackle, H. R. C.

CLASS PRIZES.

VII Standard. S. Elphinstone, VI Standard E. S. Ford: U I-chu; IV Standard, Li Cheung kan; III Standard, J. II Standard, Fan Kau I Standard, Ying Mok-fat :

BPECIAL PRIZES.

VII Standard, Scripture and Physical Geosyaphy, W. Burns; Mathematics, S. Elphiustone; VI Standard, Scripture and Mathematics, E. S. Ford: V Standard, Srcioture, S. M. Gidley Mathematics, U. Havasabi; IV Standard, Cripture, E. A. Sheffield; Algebra, E. R. Herton; Euclid, Tang Ming-him; III Standard, Scripture, C. E. Hastings; II Standard, Scripture, Hans Moore.

Band : Flies, G. Benning ; Drums, A. C. Diercks : Good Conduct, R. H. Kotewall. At the close of the proceedings a vote of thanks to Mr. Ackroyd for kindly presiding, proposed by the Right Rev. Bishop Burdon, was carried by acclamation, and hearty cheers for Bishop Burdon, Mr. and Mrs. Piercy, the ladles At the Marine Magistrate's Court this morn- and the masters formed a fitting finale to a long term of hard and meritorious work on the part of both teachers and pupils alike.

> THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

> The following is the sixth report of the Board of Directors to the ordinary meeting of share. holders, to be held at the Company's officer Victoria Buildings, at noon, on the 22nd

> Gentlemen,-The Directors have now to submit to you a general statement of the affairs of the Company, and balance sheet for the year ending 31st December, 1804.

The net profits for that period, including \$27.865.63 balance brought forward from last Account after paying all charges, amount to 95 knots, when she had to stop and go astern. \$744.047.02. From this amount an interim Witness was quite sure that the launch's first dividend of \$2.00 per share has already been attempt was to cross the steamer's hows. If the paid and it is now proposed to pay a final Chinese skipper had even steadled his helm after | dividend of \$2.00 per share, making a total he heard the steamer's whistle, then it would dividend of 8 per cent, per annum on the Paldhave been all right, but he kept his helm over | up Capital, and after writing off Directors' and Auditors' fees, there remains a balance of \$34.447.02 to be carried forward to the credit of a New Profit and Loss Account,

> DIRECTORS. Messrs. D. R. Sassoon and Poon Pong retire by rotation, but offer themselves for re-election. Mr. C. Janizan having left the Colony, Mr. S. C. Michaelsen was invited to join the Board in

The Directors regret to have to record the death of their colleague Mr. H. Hoppius; the vacancy thereby created has been filled by Mr. of the choice of either running ashore or extin- N. A. Siebs, and these appointments now require

The accounts have been audited by Messrs. F. Henderson and J. C. Peter, who retire and offer themselves for re-election. J. J. KESWICK,

Chairman. Hongkong, 12th January, 1895. BALANCE SHEET.

Ziabilities. December 31st, 1894. laid-up capital\$2,500,000.00 Reserva fund 1,250,000,00 Accounts payable Balance of profit and loss account. 144,947.02

\$4.482,140.3 Assets. December grat, 1894.

Amount advanced on mortgage... 2,871,724.07 Amount invested int property..... 1,534,441.62 Furniture account Accounts receivable \$4,482,140.36

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. June 30th, 1804. To Interim Dividend of 4 per cent. December aust, To Charges account " Repairs to house property

" Legal expenses..... "Advertising account..... " Fire Insurance account Balance to be appropriated as fallows :--anaging Directors' fees 5,000.00 Auditors' fees

Final dividend of 4 per cent, for the half-year 100,000.00 Balance to be carried to New Account

January 1st. 1804. By undivided profits, 1893 December grat. Commission

Account " Scrip Fees..... 337.00

reserve fund. December 31st, 1804. January 1st, 1894.

A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary correspond We have compared the above Statements With the books, vouchers and securities of the Company and have found the same to be correct. J. C. PETER, Auditors,

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the sixth report of the General Agents to the ordinary meeting of shareholders, to be held at the Company's office,

lostant :-Gentlemen, -- The General Agents now submit to you a statement of the affairs of the Company, and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December, 1894.

The not p ofits for the year, after writing off Directors' and Auditor's fees and all other charges, including the debit belance brought forward from last year, amount to \$9612.07. from which it is proposed to pay a dividend of 50 cents per share, and to carry forward the balance of \$2,812.07 to credit of new Profit and Loss Account.

DIRECTORS. The Hon. J. J. Keswick and Mr. J. S. Moses retire by rotation and offer themselves for re-election.

The accounts have been audited by Mr. Fullarton Henderson, who now retires and offers himself for re-election.

A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld., General Agents for the West Point Building

Hongkong, 14th January, 1895. BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1891.

- Liabilities. December 31st, 1894. Paid-up Capital \$ 500,000.00 Accounts payable 1,820.60 The Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld , mortgage on 110,000.00 the Company's property Suspense account

Balance of profit and floss account

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Assels. December 31st, 1894. Cost of property\$ 611,647.80 Accounts receivable Amount with the general agents... 9,695.68

621,839 43 PROFIT A D LOSS ACCOUNT. January 1st, 1894. To balance brought forward...... 1,278.82 December 31st. ., Fire Insurance 650.76 Charges Crown rent and rates 3,342 69 , Legal expenses Interest Commission to agents , Balance to be appropriated as

follows :-Directors' fees \$ 500.00 Auditors' fees Dividend of 50 cents per share..... 6,250,00

December 31st, 1894.

Balance to be carried to new account 2,812.07 9 612.07 24,045 88

By tents\$ Scrip fees 24 041.88 A. SHELTON HOUPER,

Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co, Ld. General Agents for the West Point Building Company, Limited. Examined. J. S. Moses,

C. P. CHATER. Directors. I have compared the above statement with the books, vouchers and securities of the Company and have found the same to be correct. F. HENDERSON.

Hongkong, 14th January, 1895. NOTES FROM SHENSI.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT. December 21st, 1894. The sudden and imperative summons to arms that was recently issued to every military centre has shown how utterly undisciplined are the ordinary troops. There is little esprit de corps and as for the dulce et decorum est pro patria mort sentiment it does not exist. The General here, when ordered to muster his men and march, committed sulcide. His lieutenant was beheaded for hesitation, and hundreds of the rank and file have been beheaded for attempting to scuttle. Thus utter despair, or death by decapitationis the fate of the "braves." I have seen several battalions start for the North, but in the "rag-tag and bob-tail" fast ion. Mobocracy sceme the only principle of mobilisation. They enjoyed 18.387.70 one decided advantage, no baggage, not even a wallet. The war may prove to the Government how hopelessly rotten are her public servicesthe Customs excepted. "I tremble for my country," said Jefferson, "when I remember that God is just." That is the wholesome temerity one would like to see awakened by the war. China does not know how to trust in God nor how to keep her powder dry.

The motto of this brotherhood is "The Flowery Kingdom for the Sone of Han "-China for the Chinese. There is both patriotism and principle in their alm. Their programme, as stated by a member, consists of three items :-(t) Embrace the first fitting opportunity for occupying simultaneously Ch'angsha : Ch'éngtu, Hsinan, These are centres at once rich, safe, free

too from the foreigner's yoke. In each of these cities the brotherhood has places where they levy tax end openly conduct their affairs. (2) Expel all foreigners ; absolute extirpation, e) Mobilise, store, arm, fight. For all of these ends witness an oath taken kneeling before the gods.

I should suppose that these sworn brothers

will give a good account of themselves before The Swedish missionaries have been fairly well treated in the Rienchow case. The Governor's reply to their petition for redress was written in six-lack characters and posted prominently in the yamen, the whole wording of it being a magnificent insult. The Chou magistrate compelled the landlord to pull down his house and then write out an accusation against the missionaries: Every maans was used to incriminate and villify. By and bye the Governor seemed to awake and took the case in hand, Premises were rented and repaired and the missionaries installed publicly by his special deputy. Compensation was made for all goods lost, and promises were made that the landlord would be refunded. These steps having been taken, Mr. Nordland very rightly assured the Governor that he would not bring any action for the severe handling he had received. As usual, some poor underlings were to be made the scapegoats and punished for the crime of others, but that was

prevented and so the matter ende -N. C. Daff maliand, 18th January, 1809 & complete the

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(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

and lanuary, 1805. This city has quieted down to about its former state of lassitude, and the power of the officials over the pronic has been clearly shown. Early on the morning of the 25th ult. proclamations, forbidding the people to discuss the situation. were issued. An extra force of yamen runners was put on and great vigilance exercised. Two men were taken to the yamer, and the arguments used with them seem to have been very convincing, for they had not been out of the yaman many hours before the Chinese army had gained angreat victory, and the gostips were busy brazeing shout the prowess of the Chinesa soldiers and the eminent skill of their Generals.

A very curlous case of official power and corruption has happened here. Some time during last year the Wusleh Magistrate found his funds short and himself under the necessity of borrowing money, so he went to one of the largest banks here, and asked (7) for the loan of Tis, to,000; of course, he got it. When New Year and pay-day arrived, Wu lao-yeh was not prepared to may his debis. The Bank become urgent. The magistrate protested Inability and seld that he must not be bothered any more shout the refrir; if he was --- | | magistrate has cone in person and searched the The bank, still province intractable, the official foreign premises, and entering the houses room sent out and closed the bank. And from that by room, has thoroughly inspected the whole day the bank has been nominally closed; in compound. With the exception of this stove, reality it has been doing business sub rosa. there is on the place no other sort of furniture This case is known throughout the city, and is having the form or semblance of artillery. The taken much as a matter of course, there being, self-same day we carried it [the stove] to the East

every effort to collect forty soldiers each, but from the atmoles seen on the street one would think they were capable of little good. They may be capable of lending a looting porty.

It is commonly reported on the streets that England, America, and Germany are arranging a treaty of peace. The Japanese have been defeated so often of late, that they are ready to listen to reason, etc., etc.-N. C. Daily News.

TIENTSIN NOTES. (FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

26 h December, 1894. War news is still of the most scanty description, and is limited to the confirmation of the capture of Newchwang (native city) by the Japanese. As your readers probably know this city lies 30 miles up the Llauho to the N.E. of the little foreign Settlement. There is no news whatever of the latter; it is confidently believed that the Japanese will keep altogether clear of it, to aveil probable collision with foreign interests. There is a big re-arrangement of the Imperial forces in this province going on; some 10,000 troops have been moved down to Tientsin and are now either about to encamp here or to pass through. Our responsible authorities have their weather eyes open with a view to contingencies, but there is no alarm felt, prob ably because there is no occasion, and also because the fact of the proximity of the "braves? is not penerally known. A small body of the local militis (?) is on guard to keep the native "liberty men" out of the Concessions, for about a forinight ago, the latter showed a disposition to come into the French Settlement and help themselves to any little trifle they saw lying about. They also showed a tiff-neck in submitting to the police regulations on the British bund, but our municipal authorities were quite equal to the occasion. There is no occasion for alarm, but in the presence of a good deal of inflammable gas it behaves everybody to be careful about his

The Kweiyang and the weather are both the subject of a good deal of local anxiety. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire's ship at the end of the navigation season got fixed up on the South hank; and there she has remained ever since (for 8 or 10 days) waiting for favourable con ditions of wind and tide to get off. As ill-luci will have it both have been extremely adverse and the Lighter Con pany's resources in the waof help are very limited, as nearly all the tog and lighters are locked in up here for the winter The vessel is so placed that at low tide one can almost walk out to her. There is an untimel spell of mild weather on, and last night we had the unprecedented experience of a Christmas an floxing Day fall of rain. The ice on all th ponds, etc., is quite spoiled, and the Tientsi reach is open to link and boat sailing. As w have the old prejudice, that a "warm Yule means a full kirk-yard and p'enty of sickness we are glad to see signs of a brave north-wester which will freeze us up again and turn us out t play. The tidal re-action from such will pro bab'y give the Kweiyang her best chance.

Our bund presents quite a lively appearance and is in striking contrast to its usual winter desolation. The five gunboats are snucly dismasted and roofed in; the Toonan, Leeynen (tran-port) and Chinhai (Chinese gunboat) lie lower down; all make a brave pretence of keeping steam up by reason of their distillers and donkey engines. Then there is a whole fleet of the Lighter Company; for the first time on record, the eye of the unimaginative shareholder can now see what a big concern the Company is By-the-bye, there are great local anticipations of a good thumping dividend for the year.

Another embassy is appointed to go to Jap n to try and arrange terms of prace : the personnel of such a legation is a motter of the first imperturce, and it is with general satisfaction that the name of Chang Ying-huan has been announced. This official was formerly the Minister at Washington and may therefore be supposed to have a first-hand knowledge of diplomatic finesie; the other is said to be Shao Yu-ilen. It is given out here that he is one of the ulira-patriots who offered rewards for Japanese heads in Formosa, but there is surely some mistake in identity. Even Peking ignorance could not perpetrate so assounding a folly as this. Nothing is known as to the time of departure,

Jingle has re-speared in the person of Doctor C---- an ad the orer and humbug of the first water, who turned up here about a month ago and, by an engaging tongue and well groomed appearance, deceived even the very elect of Tientsin. The so-called doctor is an ex-medical student who knows enough of the professional argon to pass muster with the real Simons of Purity; he negotlated a month's residence in Tientsin and two little circular tours to Peking and Shanhaikuan after the best methods of the Atful Dodger. The "doctor" was subject to "hyper" stimulation of the epileptoid centres, during which he got a little mixed as to the possessive pronouns meum and tuum; and he thus somewhat embodied this mental " fog " into conduct. The consular gao!" happens to be out of order and dangerous to life during a winter acclusion, and to this happy incident our lingie owes his transhipment to Shanghal as a D. B. S. We all hope you will appreciate the delicate mark of our appreciation of your cosmopolitan and catholic charity. How would it do to float a big board at Woosung. and write thereon " Tientsin steamers may shoot subbish on the Hongkew wharves." Our jovial hotel keeper gave Jeremy Didler a good shaking.

AT a quid pro que-N. C. Dally None.

SHANTUNG NOTES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

December 28th, 1894.

At last writing I mentioned a search of our Mission premises by the local magistrate for munitions of war, which resulted in the loan to the "great man" of a stove for exhibition to the people as the cannon surposed to be stored oe the compound for the aid of the Mikado's army. Next day (24th December) three of our missionsties precured chairs and returned the call of the magistrate, taking along a present of religious broks which he had asked to see, and a year's volume of a scientific magazine published In Shanghal. We were treated very courteously, and found that the efficer had already issued a proclamation based upon his personal inspection of our premises, a translation of which I append. LIVING PICTURES.

. PROCLAMATION concerning the search of the foreign premises

by the local magistrate. "The people in the neighbourhood have seen the foreigners bring in a round from stove, and without stopping to ascertain what it was, Invented scandalous reports and circulated them. -a thing most reprehensible! To-day the local apparently, no way for the bank to get its suburb and thence to the yamen entrance, where all eyes could behold it and he rid of suspicion. Since the sexte of the past week; there have But fearing lest the untutored rabble might arrived in the city one hundred and twenty entertain and apread this scandal, we proclaim soliters from Kingyin. In addition to these | without delay-and let all clusses, military and the two magistrates here have been using civil take heed-that every man is to mind his own business. If any have a cause, let him inform the magistrate, who sione shall decide it. and go not to inventing reports that will lead autray the multiudes. Examine and learn, that in time of war he who circulates riot-breeding suspicions is amenable to martial law. If, therefore, any person again malicionaly invents scandalous reports, upon his conviction we will inform the Governor by telegraph, and punish according to martial law. Let no one say he has not had warning and, having opened his mouth, repent when it is too late !"

Done the 20th year of Kuang Hsü, 11th moon,

27th day." Since the issue of this proclamation all has been serene. This goes to show what power the magistrates have over the reaple when they exhibit a little firmre a and sincerity. Of course we thanked the officer for his prempt and effective action. The formal search of the compound was only a preliminary move in the game which, we hope, has checkmated those who were bent on mischief .- N. C. Daily News.

CHILDREN starving to death on account of their inability to digest food will find a most marvellous food and remedy, in Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites. Very palatable and easily digested. Read the following testimonial :- "I have prescribed 'Scott's Emulsion' in cases of children suffering from wasting and mai-nutrition and can report most favourably of its good off ct; it has been in each case taken most readily."-W. PERKINS, M.R.C.S., Medical Superintendent, Butleigh Hospital. Any Chemist can supply it.—Sole Agent for Hongkong and the Empire of China -Chan A Fook, at Watkins & Co., Hongkong.-

CHINA COAST METROROLOGICAL REGISTER.

16th January, 1895,--- At 4 p.m.

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DEPARTURES. January 16, Fushun, British str., for Canton. January 16, Soochow, British str., for Swatew.

January 17, Triumph, German steamer, for January 17. Frefr, Danish steamer, for Hollow. January 17, Kong Beng, British steamer, for January 17, Talcheong, German steamer, for

January 17, Hongkong, French steamer, for Hal-January 17, Paoling, British str., for Shanghal, January 17, Straits of Menal, British steamer,

January 17, Kutsang, British str., for Singapore. January 17, Pekin, British steamer, for Singa-

January 17, Sisham, British str., for Swatow, January 17, Pooksang, British str., for Shanghai Jabuary 17, Kung-ping, British str., for Shanghai

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Formosa, from Tamsul, &c .- Mr. Choy Silver (per oz.)27 3/16 and servant, and 66 Chinese. Per Catherine Apcar, from Calcuttta, &c. Mrs. J. G. Ollfent and child, and 450 Chinese. Per Canton, from Shanghal,-Mr. Lacrour, and 30 Chinese. Per Phra Nang, from Bangkok .- 132 Chinese.

Per Decima, from Salgon.—Mr. Engler. DEPARTED. Per Pekin, from Hongkong for Penang.-Mrs-Bird. For Colombo.-Mr. W. Mathews. For Bombay.-Mr. P. C. Patell. For London.-Lieut. C. J. Eyres, and Mr. C. E. Campbell, From Shanghei for Bombay .- Mr. E. Garlick. For London.-Mr. and Mrs. J. Macfarlane, and

Mr. J. N. Scymour and 2 children, From Kebe

REPORTS. The British steamship Catherine Abers, left! Calcutta on the soil ultimo, Pennog on the mb. The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer, and Singapore outhe toth. Aker leaving the Victoria left Tacoma on the 12th ultimo for gapore appellenced mederate north-cost mouiseen and fine weather.

The British steamship Canton left Shanghai on the 13th instant, and had fresh to strong porth-east winds and equally weather from Benight to Swatow ; thende 'to Hongkong had wariable winds and overcast weather with smooth

The British steamship Formosa left Tameul on the 14th instant, and had from mortherly winds and high sea with rainy weather to Ockseu Island; thence to Amoy had moderate northeast and north winds and sea ; arrived' at Amoy on the 15th, and left again on the same day, and had moderate and light northerly winds and lovercast weather to Swatow. Arrived at Swatow on the 16th, and left sgain on the same day, and had light to fresh north-west winds. In Swavow the steamships Chunsham, Lohsang, and Peking.

Post Omce.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE-For Salgon,-P r Progress to-day, the 18th

instant, at 0.10 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama,-Per Ancone to-morrow, the 18th instant, at 11.30

A.M.

For Singapore and London.—Pet Glenfruin to-morrow, the 18th instant, at 2.30 P.M. For Shanghal-Per Kung-ping to-morrow, the 18th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Manila.-Per Zofiro to-morrow, the 181 instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Shanghal.—Per Oolong to-morrow, the 18th Instant, at & P.M.

For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and Tacoma.-Per Victoria on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore. Per Aglala on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokobama, Victoria,

and Vancouver, B.C.-Per Embress of China on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at II A.M.

SHIFPING IN HONGKONG

TTEAMERS.

AMIGO German steamer, 771, A. Bendixen, 11th Jan .- Bangkok and January, General .-Wieler & Co.

ANCONA, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudle, 17th January,-Yokohama 5th January, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. A LOUN, British steamer, 1,827, J. Murvay, 14th Jan.,-Saigon oth January, Rice,-Melchers

BRECHLEY, British steamer, 1,852, Robt. Hall, 10th Jan.,-Saigon 4th Jan., General.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. BENMOHR, British steamer, 1,930, J. H. Clark,

16th Jan .. -- London, and Singapore oth Jan .. General.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. Cass, Chinese steamer, 705, M. Gensan, 14th December, -Pescadores 13th December,-

CHINA, German steamer, 1,114, T. T. Andersen, 16th Jan.,-Salgon 11th Jan., Rice.-Melchiers & Co.

CHINGTU, British steamer, 1 459, R. Innes, 14th Jan.,-Kobe, and Mojt 8th Jan., General,-Butter eld & Swire. EMPRESS OF CHINA, British steamer, 3,003, R. Archibald, R.N.R., and Jan.,-Vancouver

11th Dec., Yokohama 27th, Kobe 28th, and Shanghai 31st, Mails and General.-C. P., FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain Stopani.-Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.'s tug. FOORSANG, British steamer, 991, Spencer Wilde,

16th Jan.,-Canton :6th Jan., General,lardine, Matheson & Co. FORIEN, British steamer, 509, W. Davis, 16th Jan.,-Kobe 9th Jan., and Meji 11th, Coal. -Butterfield & Swire.

GLENFRUIN, British steamer, 1,892, F. Darke, 16th Jan., -Japan, and Shanghai 13th Jan., General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. GUY MANNERING, British steamer, 1,873, Thos, Walker, 11th Jan .. - Canton 11th January,

General,-Wieler & Co. JACOB DIEDERICHSEN, German steamer, 623, A. Hundewadt, 15th Jan.,-Ilollo 9th Jan., General.—Carlowits & Co. MOLDAVA, British steamer, 1,477, J. Burnside,

rath Jan.,-Moli 6th Jan. Coals,-Bradley NAMOA, British steamer, 862, H. C. A. Harris 28th December. - Foochow 25th Dec., Amoy

26th, and Swatow 27th, General,-D. Lapraik & Co. NURMBERG, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, 10th Jan ,-Yokohama 2nd Jan., Kobe 5th and Nagasaki 7th, Mails and General .- Mel-

Oolong, British steamer, 2,308, H. L. Allen, 16th Jan ..- Liverpool and Dec., and Singapore o'h January, General. - O der. PARTHIAN, British steamer, 1,040, C. C. Thomson, 12:h Jan .. - Manila 7th Jan,, General

---Wo Kee. PRAYA, 130, Captain MacIssac.-Hongkons Government Tender. SABIME RICKMERS, German steamer, 507, T. Sanders, 15th Jan.,-Batoum 22nd Dec.,

and Singapore 5th Jap., Petroleum .- Arnhold, Karberg & Co. SOPHIE RICKMERS, German steamer, 2,040, H Anderson, 6th Jan.,-Moji tet Jan., Coals.-

Dodwell, Carlill & Co. TRITOS, German steamer, 1,085, P. Cornelsen, 20th Jan .- Mauritius 17th Dec. and Singapore 5 h Jan., Timber.-Lauts, Wegener

ICTORIA, British steamer, 1,992, John Panton, R.N.R., 13th Jan., -Tacoma 11th Dec., Victoris, B.C., 12th, Yokohama 5th Jap., Kobe 7th, and Moji oth, General,-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. WUOTAM, German steamer, 1,215, A. Ott, 4th

Jan ... - Moji 28th December, Coals, - Lauts, Wegener & Co. ZAFIRO, British steamer, 675, A. W. R. Cobban, 21st Nov.,-Manila 20th Nov., General.-Shewan & Co.

BAYARD, British bark, 1,319, W. Richards, 7th Dec.,-Kobe 29th Nov., Ballast.-BERLIN, American ship, 1.552, F. D. Whitmore,

3rd Jen., -- Shanghai soin Dec., General --Carlowits & Co. CENTENNIAL, American ship, 1,227, P. F. Colcord, 11th Jan.,-Newcastle 27th" Nov., Coals,-Order COLORA, American Bark, 849, C. H. Noyes, 318

Dec.,-Fortland 8th October, and Honolulu soth, Timber -- Master, LUCICE, American ship, 1,329, John Connay, 11th Doc.;—Manile 16th Nov., Ballast.—

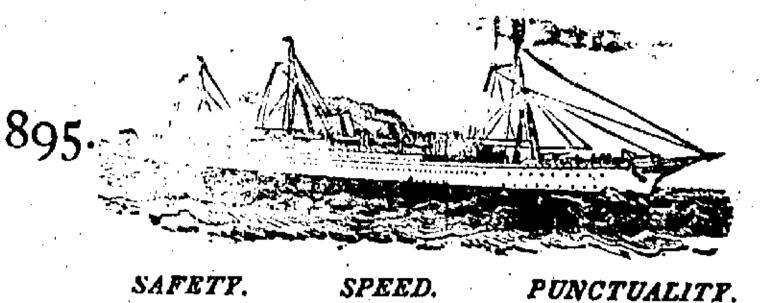
OMEGA, British bark, 480, Brown, 29th Nov.,-Callac joth September, General.-Master, SACHUM, American ship, 1,312, J. C. Burtlett, 11th Jan., Hloge yoth Dec., General. Slemmen & Co.

SIERRA MIRAMDA, British ship, 1,730, A McMaster, 20th Nov ...- Cardiff oth August, Cool-Shewis & Co. SINTRAM, American ship, 1,490, Weodaide, 20th Det ..-Yekohama oth December, Ballast .--

ROTCH, American ship, 1,664, J. T. Bray, 27th Dec.,-Yokohama 15th Dec., Ballast.

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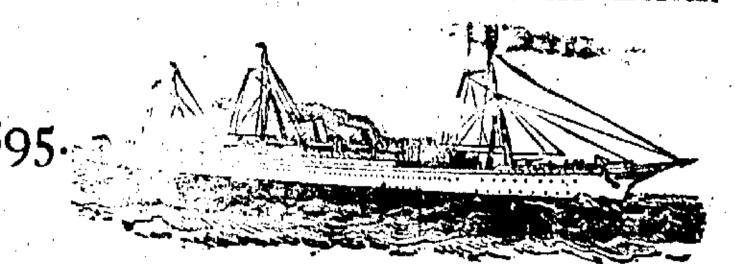
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